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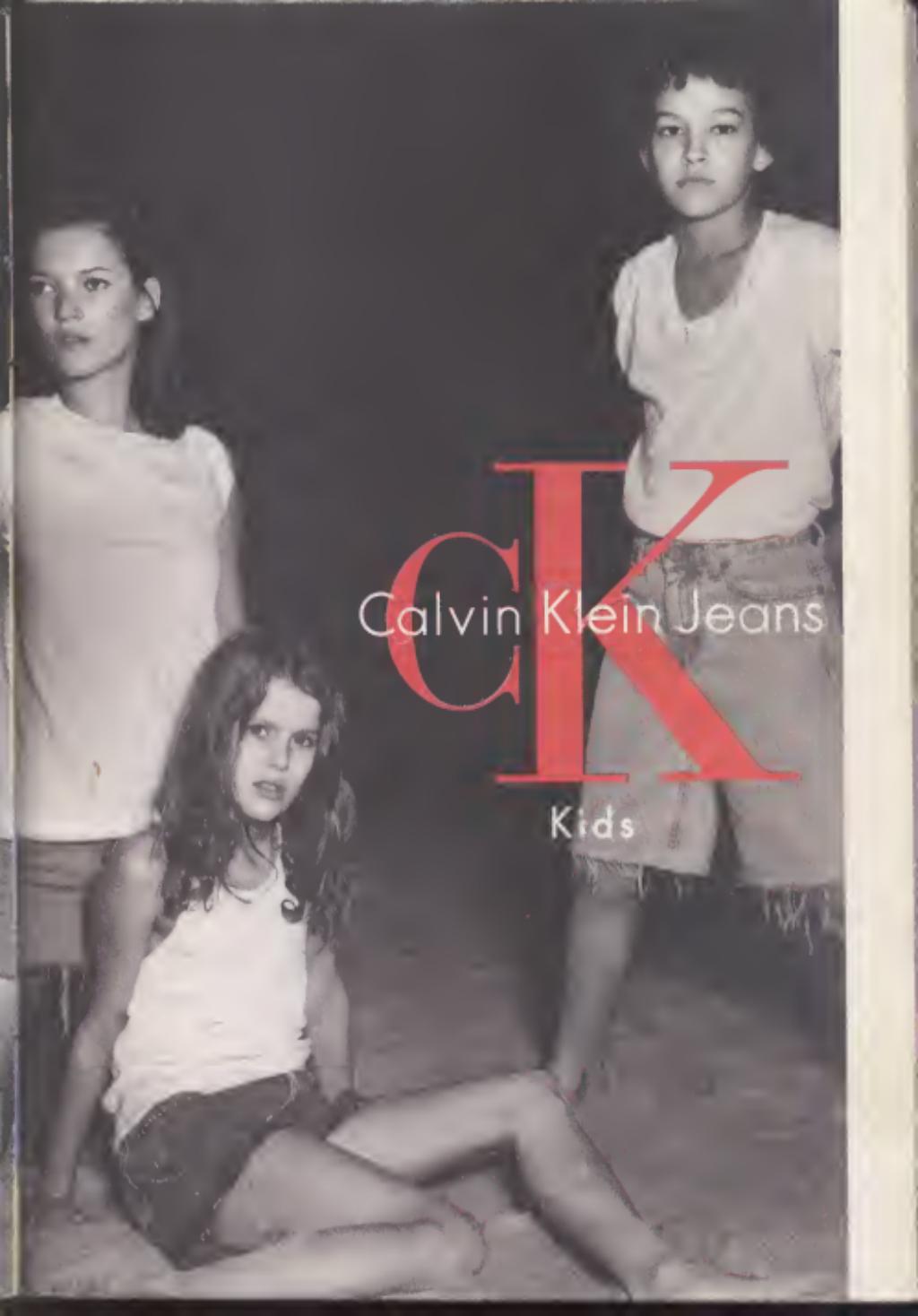
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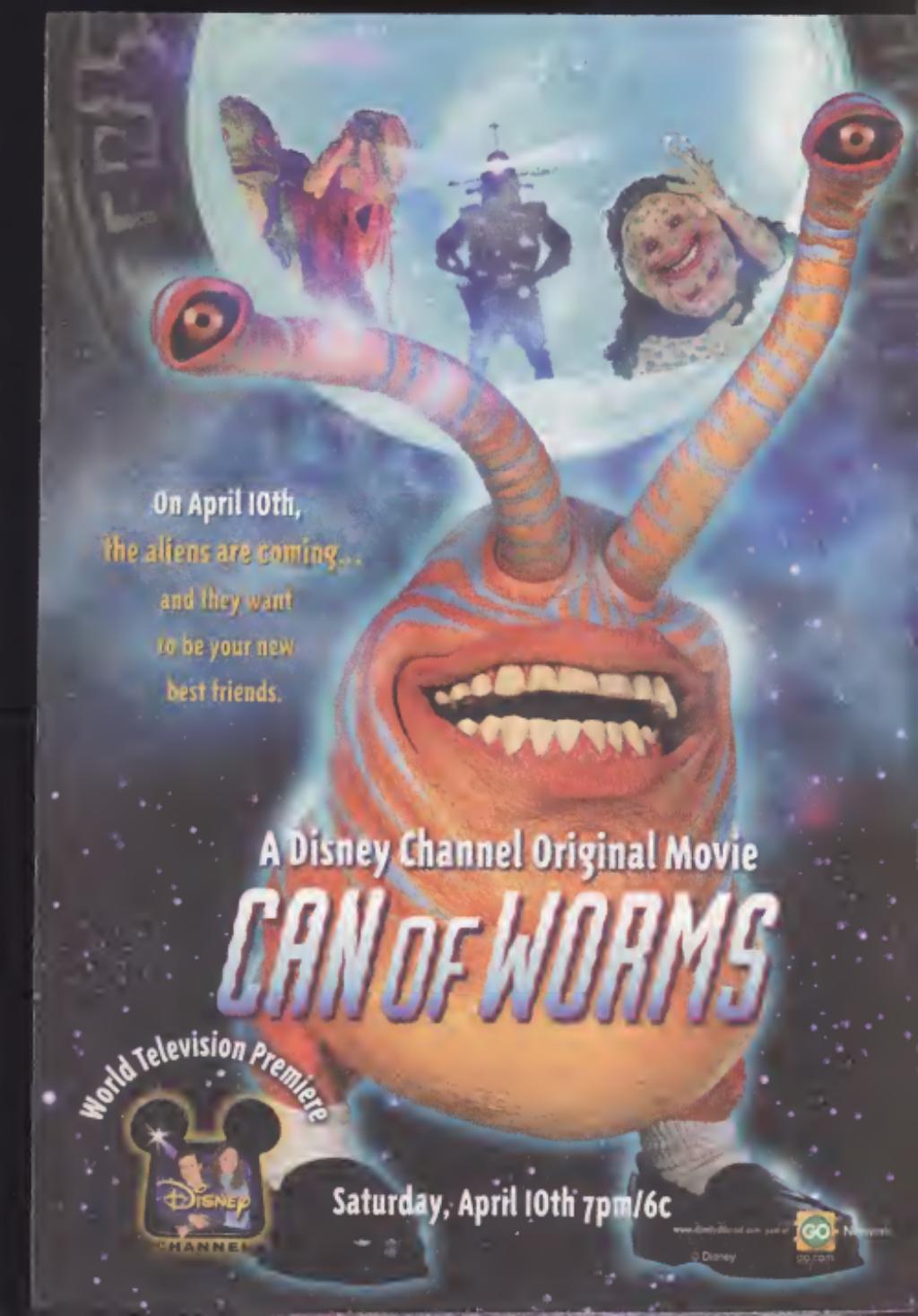


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That's the **DISNEY ADVENTURES** staff cheering because we've got a **brand-new look** and all kinds of fun surprises in this issue. Here's the first surprise: a great new **monthly contest** called

**"Win a Disney Adventure."**

This month's adventure: a trip on the **Disney Cruise Line**! All you have to do is count how many times this **whoopee cushion appears** in the magazine. (Yes, this counts as one!) But here's a **clue**: Some of them are **really small**.) See page 81 for the contest rules.

Please **write** and tell me what you'd like to **know about DISNEY ADVENTURES**. I'll **answer** some of your questions on this page in a future issue.



*Suzanne*

Suzanne Harper  
*Editor-in-Chief*

## Adventure On!

# got spud?



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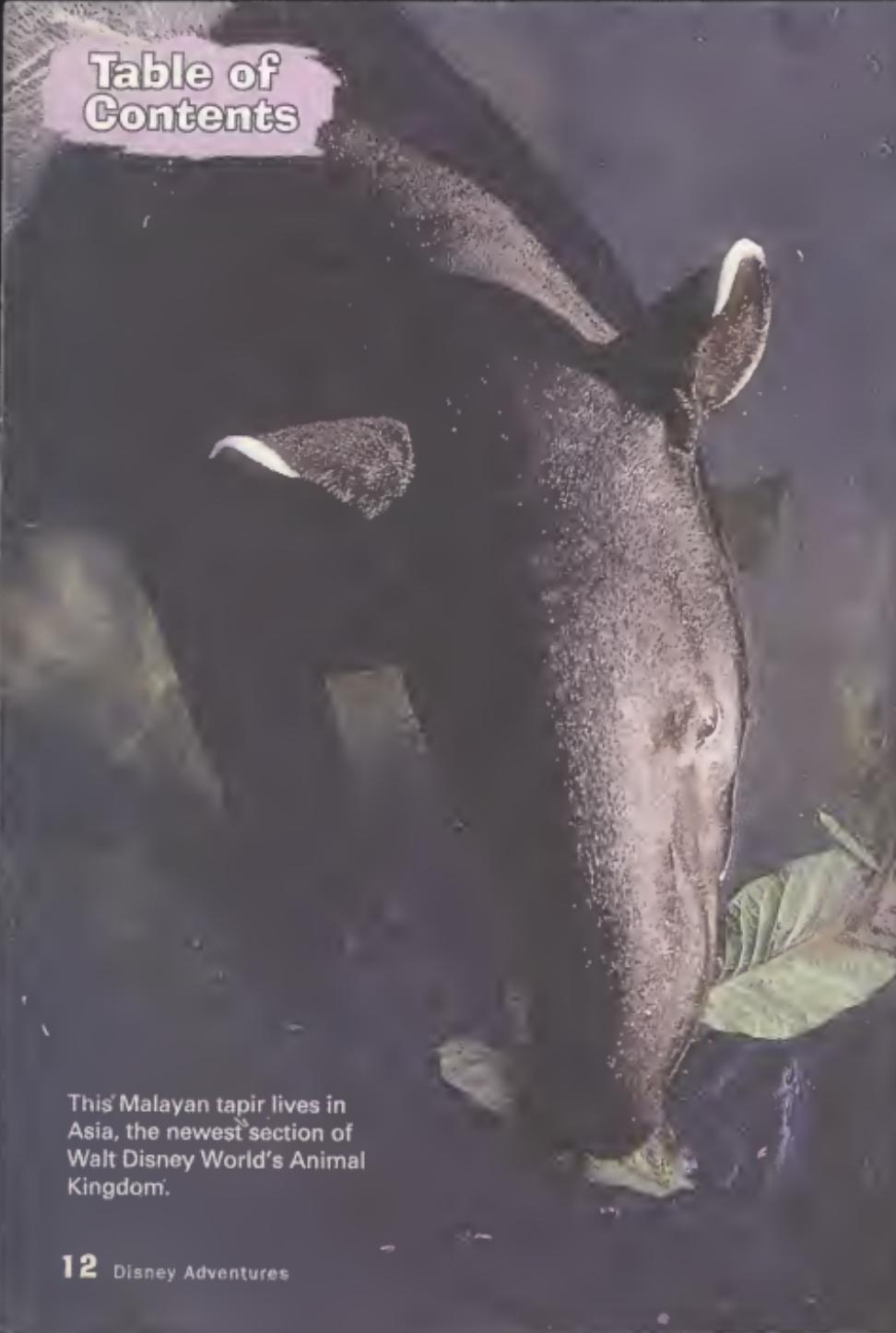


You're 65 million years old  
and you still don't know your  
multiplication tables?



Chocolate Milk? Think Quik!

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This Malayan tapir lives in Asia, the newest section of Walt Disney World's Animal Kingdom.



Unwrap these  
six-foot bats on  
our jungle trek.

# 52 Jungle Trek

# THE DUEL FOR COOL

I think 'N Sync would win because Chris could smack the Backstreet Boys with his hair, Lance would use one of his gadgets on them, and Joey would beat them up like Superman.

**Corey W., 10**  
**Philadelphia, PA**

### WRITE TO US!

Tell us what you've been doing lately or write about this month's topic: If you could change the ending to any movie, which movie would it be and how would you change it?



I don't think anybody would win. I feel sorry for the city that holds the singing battle, because it would sound like the city was being invaded by one trillion chain saws.

**Nikola M., 10**  
**Washington, D.C.**

In the Winter issue, we asked who would win in a battle of the bands between the Backstreet Boys and 'N Sync. Here's what you said.

I think the bands have equal talent, and it would be better if they blended instead of having one of them win. I think they would sound better together and should try it some time.

**Suny G., 11**  
**Grand Junction, CO**

Neither band would win—the Spice Girls would!

**Amy J., 13**  
**McGregor, TX**

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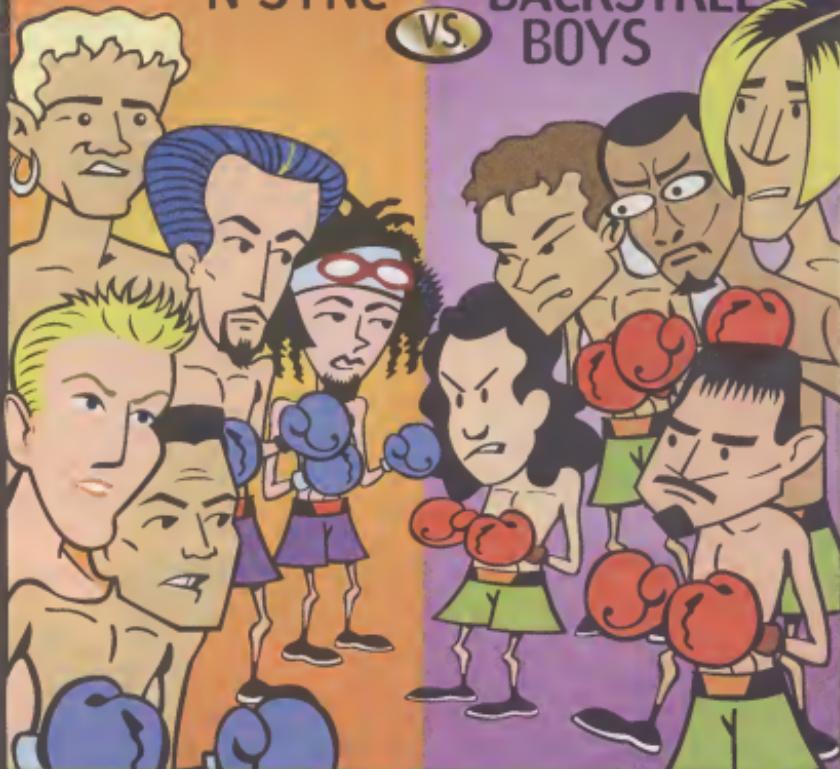
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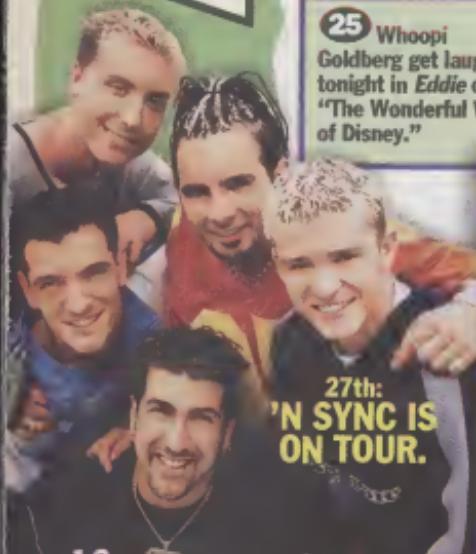


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Backstreet Arena

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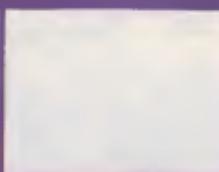
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monday



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**24th: BIG AIR RULES!**



TICKET

## Ask Liz



**Dear Liz,**

I just saw a great new group called **LFO** perform with the Backstreet Boys on a TV special. What can you tell me about them?

**Monica G., 12, Anaheim, CA**

**Dear Monica,**

I met LFO recently, and the guys are great! Rich "Nice" Cronin, 22, Brian "Brizz" Gillis, 23, and Brad Fischetti, 22, make up LFO, which stands for "Lyte Funkie Ones." They describe their sound as hip-pop, which you can hear in their hot single "Can't Have You." Their debut CD will be released in May.

**Dear Liz,**

I want to be a rock star when I get older, like the **Backstreet Boys**. Can I have their address so I can write to them? Thanks.

**Miron Woodenberry, 9,  
Ishawooa, WY**

### WRITE TO US!

Send your entertainment questions to: Ask Liz/Disney Adventures, P.O. Box 862, New York, NY 10113-0862. Send Liz e-mail by visiting [disneyadventures.com](http://disneyadventures.com), part of the GO Network. And if you want us to print your question, fill out the form on page 81 and send it with your letter. Thanks!



**Meet LFO: (left to right)**  
**Brian, Rich and Brad**

**Dear Miron,**

Didn't you hear? The Backstreet Boys broke up! Brian Littrell quit singing to be a wrestler, and Nick Carter plans on playing video games all day! **Ha! April Fools'!** The guys are still together! Write them at: Backstreet Boys, Jive Records, 9000 Sunset Blvd., Suite 300, W. Hollywood, CA, 90069.



**Dear Liz,**

Can you tell me how to write to **Britney Spears**? I think she sings great!

**Jeremy M., 14,  
Colquitt, GA**

**Dear Jeremy,**  
Britney, 17, scored a No. 1 hit with her single, "...baby one more time." Write to her at: Britney Fan Club, P.O. Box 250 Osyka, MS 39657.

**Britney Spears**

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Pick a phrase in the outer circle that describes what you like, then match its color with the same color in the inner circle. *Ta-dah!*—you've picked the perfect book!



—Yolanda Crous



# Rock the TV

What do you get when you put four lasses from Ireland and five lads from England on stage at Disneyland?

*"B\*Witched and Five in Concert."*

B\*Witched and Five just wanna have fun. "We want to sing about being young and enjoying everything we do," says Edele of B\*Witched. Five feels the same way. "We just want to make sure we have fun doing what we're doing," says Jason.

You can catch "B\*Witched and Five in Concert" on the Disney Channel in March and April (check local listings).



To find out what the world looks like to a bug, the creators of *A Bug's Life* used a "bug cam" with a lens smaller than an M&M. *A Bug's Life* surfs into a video store near you on April 20.

## Disney Trivia

What's the tallest attraction at Walt Disney World?

200 feet



Cinderella Castle



Spaceship Earth



The Twilight Zone Tower of Terror

# Monster Madness

OK, you've seen Doug's new movie—now what? Read *Doug's 1st Movie* and relive the search for the monster of Lucky Duck Lake (hint: he's a direct descendant of the Neematoadasaurus, the dinosaur who lived in Bluffington in prehistoric times).



## Rockin' Radio

The new album *Radio Disney Kid Jams* features many great Radio Disney hits by artists like M.C. Hammer, Technotronic, Tag Team and Donny Osmond. Use the clues below to figure out two of the other artists on the album. Hint: For each blank, fill in the letter R, A, D, I, O, D, I, S, N, E or Y.

1. This band gave all they had to give on D.A.'s Winter 1999 cover.

**B** CK \_ T \_ T B \_ \_

2. These blond brothers like mmmaking up words.

**H** \_ \_ \_

3. Everyone will be singing his song "Yoda" when the new *Star Wars* movie comes out.

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Answers: 1. Backstreet Boys 2. Hanson 3. "Yoda" by Yannick

—Yolanda Crous

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Astro-knots



What would you get if you crossed a bridge with a car?

To the other side.



Why was the lion depressed?

He just lost his pride.

**Matt:** What kind of bird is that?

**Pat:** It is called a keet.

**Matt:** Don't you mean a parakeet?

**Pat:** No, I only bought one.

Name: Lauren Mattox

Hobbies: Jewelry Making, Violin, Dance

Goal: Fashion Designer

Favorite Group: Beyond Pink



Name: Hannah Davis

Hobbies: Whale Watching, Guitar, Soccer

Goal: Astronaut

Favorite Group: Beyond Pink



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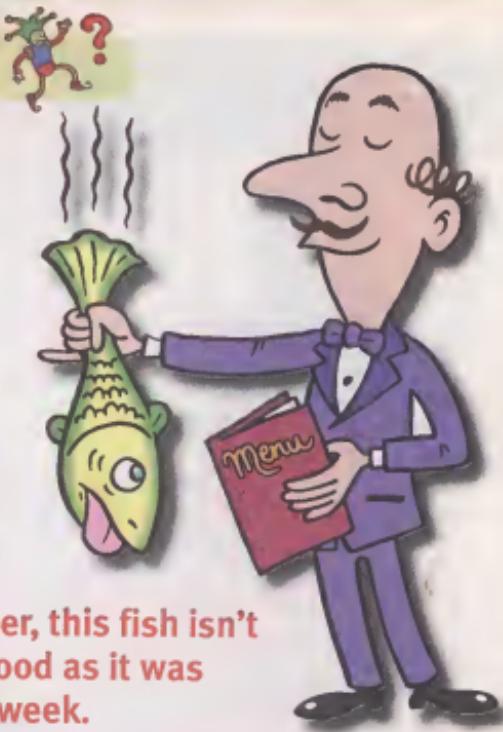
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The principal of Bob's school called up his mom and said, "I have good news and bad news."

"What's the bad news?" asked Bob's mom.

"The bad news is your son thinks he is a frog. But the good news is I think we finally got rid of the cafeteria's fly problem!"

Two country dogs were walking in New York City one day. After finishing their business at a fire hydrant, one of the dogs spotted a row of parking meters. "Look," he woofed excitedly, "pay toilets!"



**Waiter, this fish isn't as good as it was last week.**

That's funny, it's the same fish.



Matt: Hey, why did the burger turn down those offers from Hollywood?  
Pat: He said the rolls weren't good enough!

**What's worse than finding a worm in your apple?**

**Finding half a worm in your apple.**

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Who Would Win?



# The Beatles or The Spice Girls

The Beatles and the Spice Girls—both have starred in their own movies and have millions of fans. But if put to the test in a battle of the bands, who would come out



# Movie

# Musical Talent

**BEATLES:** Thirty-five years after it was first shown, *A Hard Day's Night* is playing in theaters again.

**SPICE GIRLS:** *Spice World* proved you can be a movie hero in 10-inch-high platform shoes.

**Winner:** Who thinks *Spice World* will hit theaters again 35 years from now? Chalk up a win for the Beatles.

## Clothes

**BEATLES:** Matching dark suits make these four the original "Men in Black."

**SPICE GIRLS:** What's shiny and leopard patterned and moves 100 miles per hour? A Spice's outfit in a blender.

**Winner:** The Spice Girls win! Come on, lads, put a little color in it.

## Silliest Song Lyric

**BEATLES:** "I am the eggman, they are the eggmen. I am the walrus, goo goo g'joob."

**SPICE GIRLS:** "I wanna, I wanna, I wanna, I wanna, I wanna really really really wanna zigzag ha."

**Winner:** I wanna, I wanna, I wanna really say the Spice Girls. But an eggman and a walrus? The Beatles win this round!

—Stephen Timblin

**BEATLES:** Instruments used by the Fab Four: guitar, bass, drums, sitar, organ, bongos, maracas...just to name a few.

**SPICE GIRLS:** The Spice four don't play instruments, but let's see Paul McCartney sing while karate kicking in a miniskirt.

**Winner:** The Beatles win this mini-battle by a bongo and a Ringo.

## Rallying Cry

**BEATLES:** Beatlemania

**SPICE GIRLS:** Girl Power! **Winner:** Screaming "Beatlemania!" just doesn't have the same thrill as howling "Girl Power!" The Spice Girls win this one.

## Hairstyle Technique

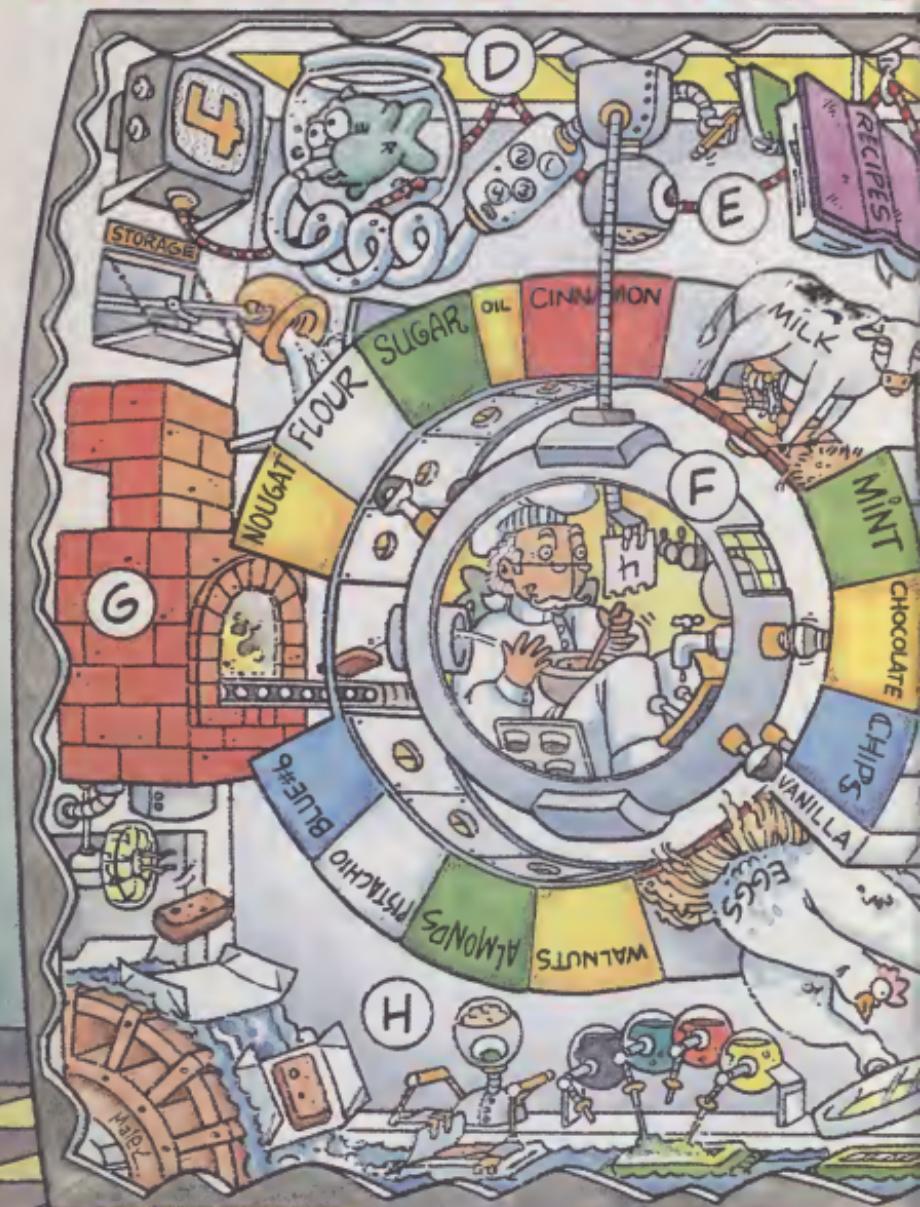
**BEATLES:** Place bowl on head—cut all visible hair.

**SPICE GIRLS:** Turn on high-speed fan—add hair spray.

**Winner:** Sorry, but both bands lose this round.

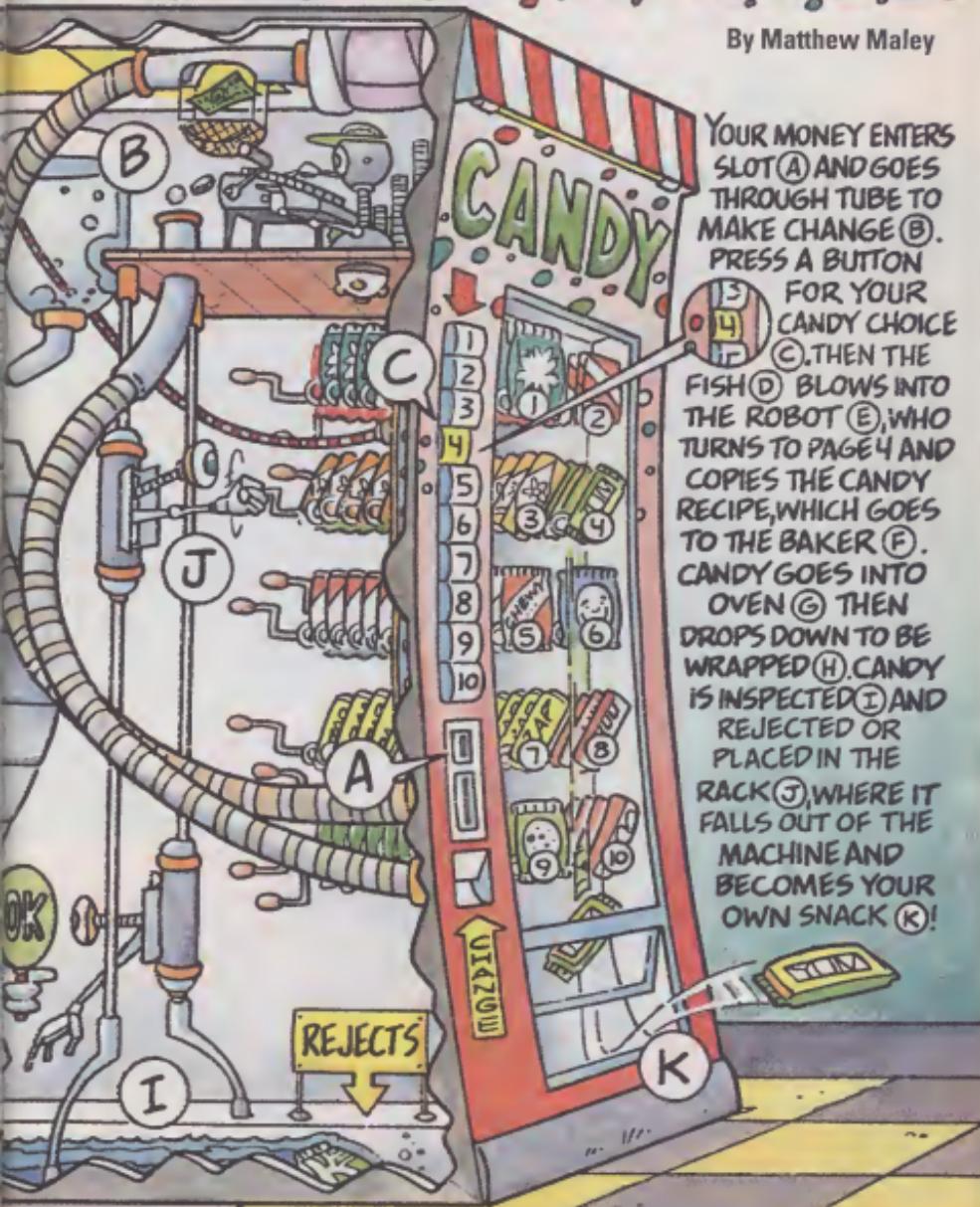
**SPICE GIRLS:** *SpiceWorld.com*, part of Go Network. Tell us who you think would win. Vote online by visiting [www.spiceworld.com](http://www.spiceworld.com). Do you agree? The Beatles win three rounds to two. Do you agree? THE WINNER: Sorry Spice supporters, but the numbers tell the

# THE SECRET WORLD

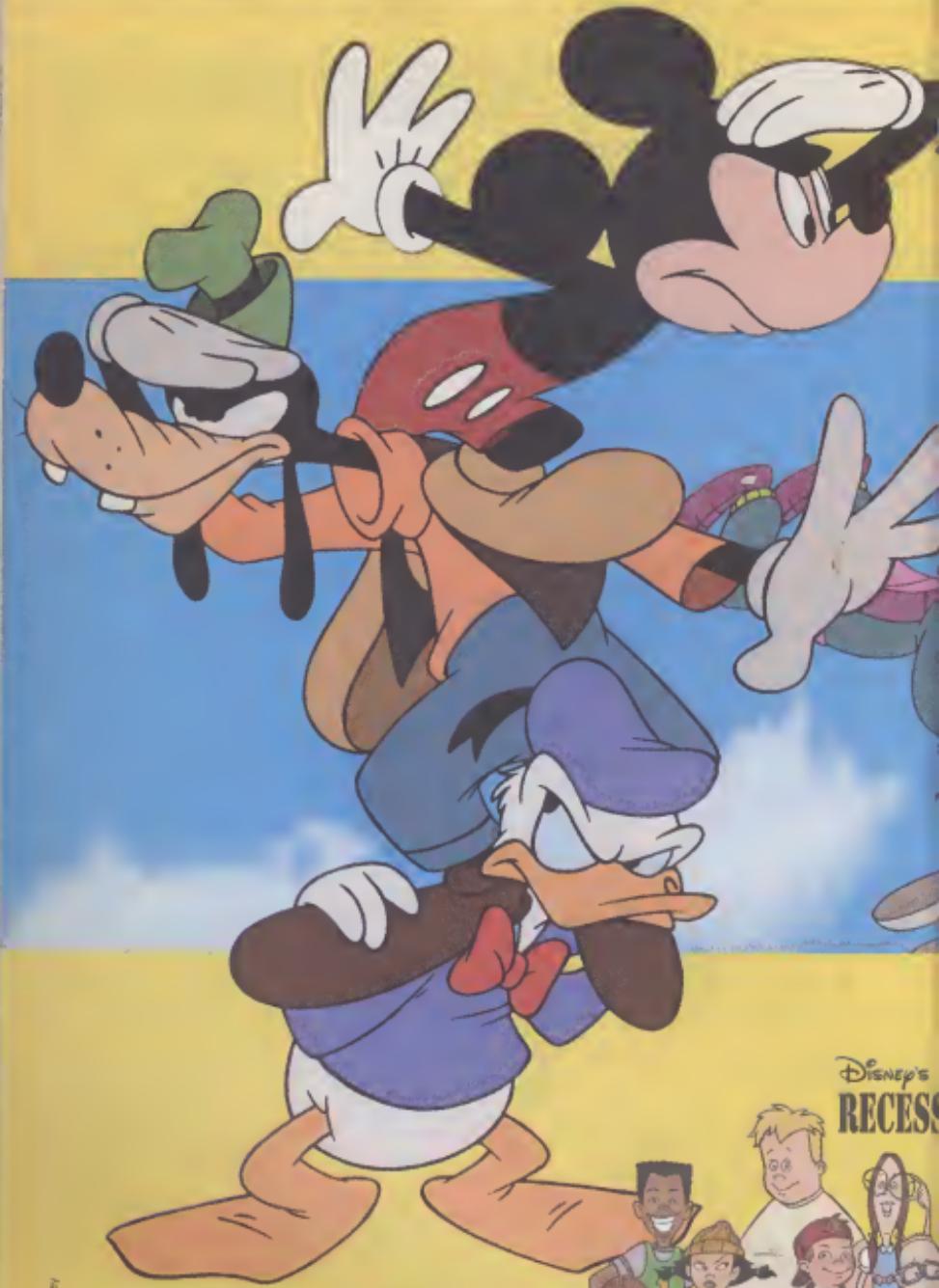


# OF CANDY MACHINES

By Matthew Maley



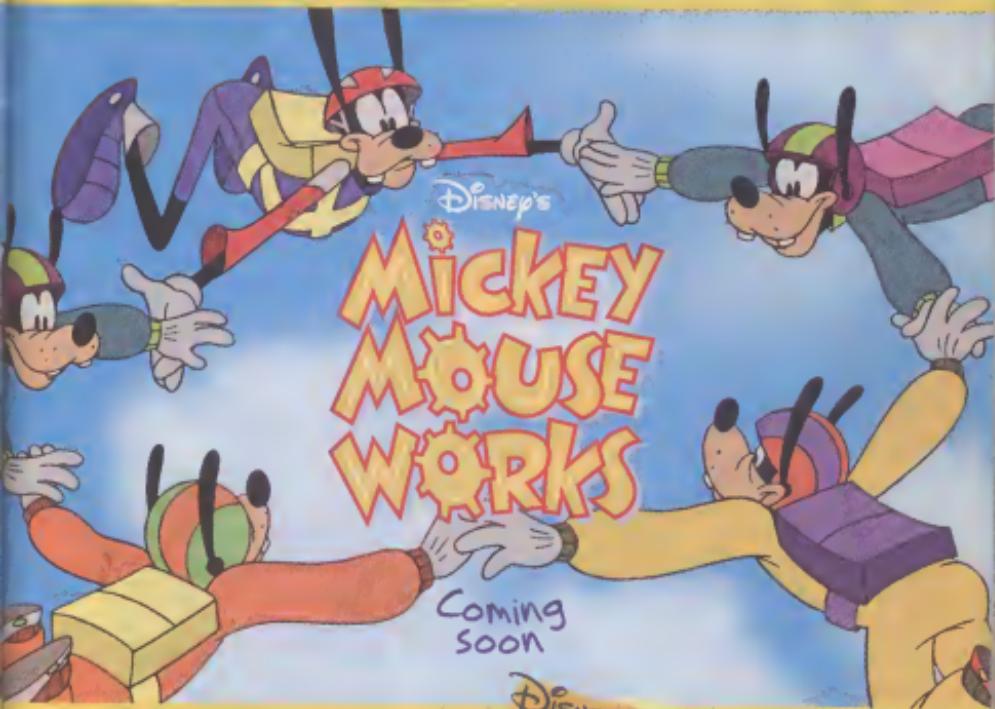
YOUR MONEY ENTERS SLOT A AND GOES THROUGH TUBE TO MAKE CHANGE B. PRESS A BUTTON C FOR YOUR CANDY CHOICE D. THEN THE FISH D BLOWS INTO THE ROBOT E, WHO TURNS TO PAGE 4 AND COPIES THE CANDY RECIPE, WHICH GOES TO THE BAKER F. CANDY GOES INTO OVEN G THEN DROPS DOWN TO BE WRAPPED H. CANDY IS INSPECTED I AND REJECTED OR PLACED IN THE RACK J, WHERE IT FALLS OUT OF THE MACHINE AND BECOMES YOUR OWN SNACK K!



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# The Case of the Missing

The secrets of Doug and his friends were written in their private journals—and somebody stole them!

By Linda K. Garvey



Judy Fannie, in the role of "Spring," delivered the last line of *The Flight of Winter*. "Fly, Winter! Begone, I say! Come, Rose and Tulip. Flower ye may!" she commanded. The amphitheater at Lucky Duck Lake rang with applause. Then all the students from the Tri-County area headed back to the buses.

Doug turned to pick up his backpack. "Oh, man!" he told Skeeter. "My books fell out."

"Honk, honk. Yeah, mine, too," Skeeter said as he stuffed them back into his pack. He noticed Doug rustling through the leaves where they had been sitting. "Hey, man, what are ya looking for?"

"I can't find my journal, Skeet!" Doug was beginning to

panic. "I know I had it in my backpack! What could have happened to it?"

"Gee, that's tough, man." Skeeter had an idea. "Hey! Maybe it got mixed up with my stuff." He dumped his backpack out and looked. "Nope. Well, maybe—hey! My logbook is gone! Honk! All my monster search notes were in there!"

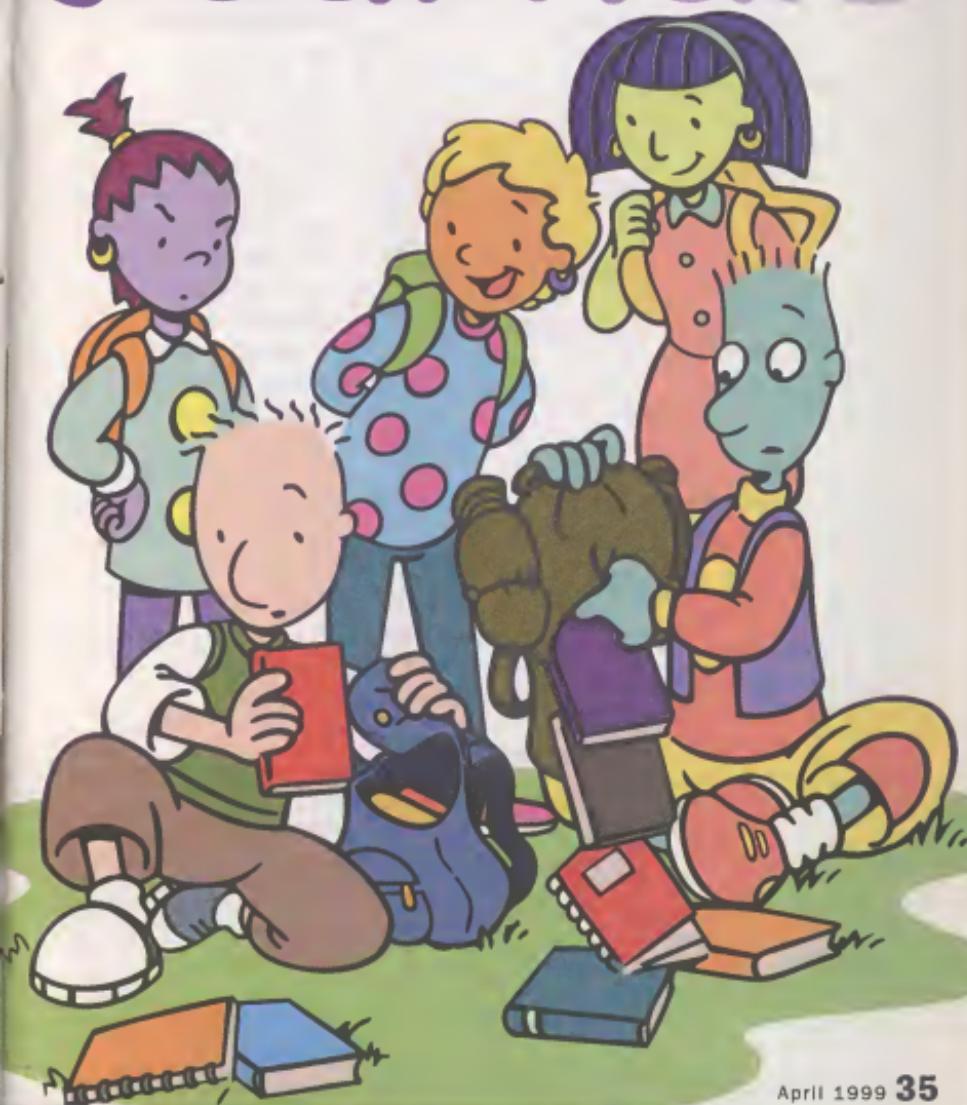
"Hey, guys," Patti said, walking up. "What are y'all doing?" Beebe and Connie were with her.

"We can't find our...books," Doug explained.

"What do you call those?" Beebe asked sarcastically, pointing to the books on the ground.

"Not *these*," Skeeter replied. "Doug lost his journal, and I can't find my logbook!"

# Journals



## The Case of the Missing Journals

"That's funny," said Connie. "I can't find my music notebook, either. I had it just a second ago."

"Who took my appointment book?" Beebe demanded. "Is this somebody's idea of a joke? My daddy will be very upset if I'm inconvenienced!!!"

"Who would want all our notebooks, anyway?" Patti asked.

Skeeter suddenly had a thought. "Hey, Doug! Didn't Roger take your journal one time?"

"Roger!" they all shouted at once.

"No, Roger's not even here. He's been visiting his father in Bloatsburg for the past two days," Connie said.

Patti looked up from her backpack. "Uh-oh. My basketball playbook is gone. This is really weird, y'all."

"Yeah," Skeeter agreed. "Hey, maybe the monster took them!"

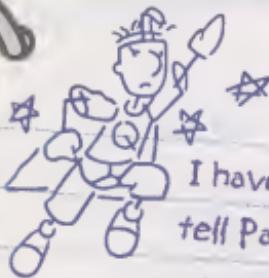
"Skeeee-ter!" Beebe whined. "Monsters are not real. Try to focus on things that are real...like me, ME, ME!!! MY APPOINTMENT BOOK IS GONE! And quit honking."

"Oh, well," Patti tried to be cheerful. "Maybe they'll turn up somewhere. Besides," she added, "what would a monster want with our books?"

The bus ride back to school was a very quiet one for the five friends. They were all thinking about their missing journals.

**WHO WAS READING THEIR SECRETS?**

# Doug's Book

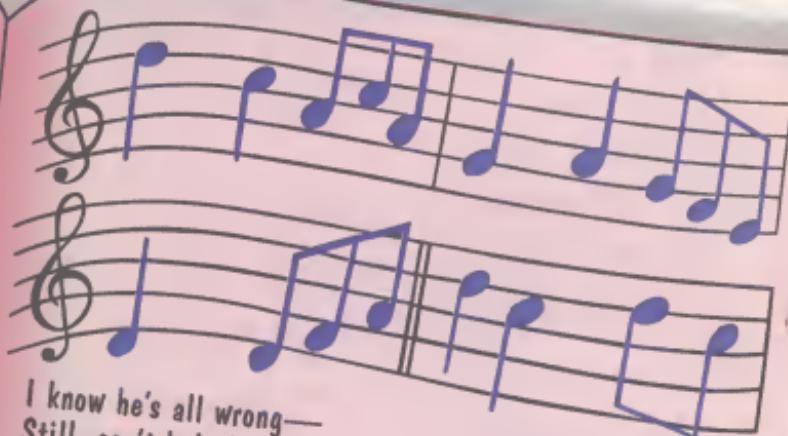


I haven't even got the nerve to tell Patti I like her! Why would somebody perfect like her be interested in somebody like me, anyway? So lately I've been thinking about Cassandra Bleem. I can't believe that THE most popular girl at school, an eighth-grader, would come right out and say TO ME, "You're so-o-o-o funny!" I'm beginning to think maybe she likes me. Besides, it might be kinda fun to hang out with an Older Woman.



# The Case of the Missing Journals

## Connie's Music Diary



I know he's all wrong—  
Still, can't help but long  
For the rebel whose song  
Gives my tummy knots.

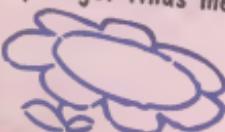
He used to be poor  
But now he's got more  
His money's a bore  
But I love every move he gots.



Love has no clue  
So I'll stick like glue  
Faithful and true  
To my Roger Klotz.



Bridge: Can't tell anyone 'bout this secret song  
It's mine 'til my Roger finds me-e-e-e!



# Skeeter's Official Logbook



Saturday A.M. Record of Monster Search

10:07 Watched from bushes near drainpipe.

★ 10:08 Twig snapped.

10:09 Fell over branch.

10:11 Stood on dock.

10:12 Fell in.

10:17 Got out of water.

10:18 Worried that someone  
might read this.

Mr. Beebe Bluff

Skeeter Bluff

Mr. Beebe Bluff

You will like this note

Send it to me.

Applies with pleasure to all

# The Case of the Missing Journals

## Beebe's Important Appointments



### DAILY SCHEDULE

6:30 A.M.	Salty Dead Sea Seaweed Body Wrap w/ Mussel Mask
7:30 A.M.	Drenched in Oil Massage w/ Milky Lavender Lotion
8:10 A.M.	Hair done by Monsieur Coiffure
8:25 A.M.	Lurk at entrance to BBMS 'til SV arrives
9:25 A.M.	Minty Fresh Breath Mint; "happen by" SV's biology lab
10:25 A.M.	Freshen Quik Makeover; waylay SV at Ms. K's room
11:25 A.M.	Poochy-Lip Liner; lie in wait for SV at cafeteria

Help Beebe find these hidden words. The leftover letters will spell out her secret crush.

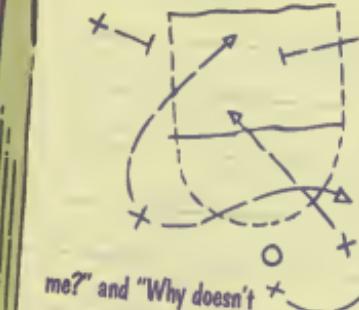
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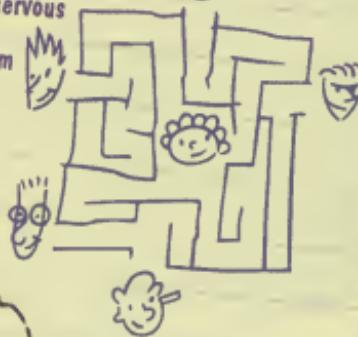
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ANSWER: Skelter

# Patti's—Private: Keep out



me?" and "Why doesn't he like me?" I'm just not ready for all that stuff! Now I just want to have lots of good friends. But there IS this one guy I really like. He's so great. Sometimes I think maybe he likes me, too, but he's probably just being nice. I just don't know how to tell him I like him. I get so nervous and all tangled up, like I'm in a maze and can't find the way to my one and only solution!



P.S. I hope nobody ever reads this.

Doug and his friends didn't need to worry.  
Their journals and notebooks were never read.  
Who took them? It remains a mystery.

Can you solve it?

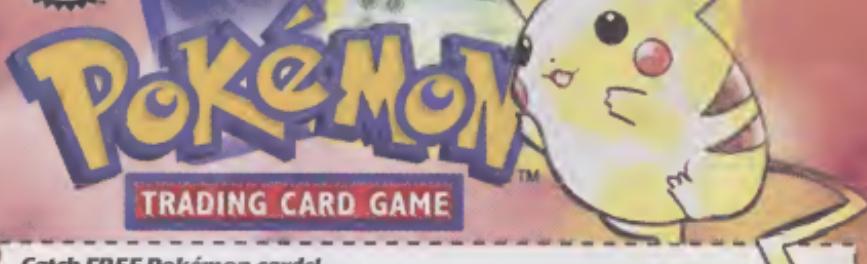
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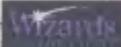
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# CAN OF WORMS

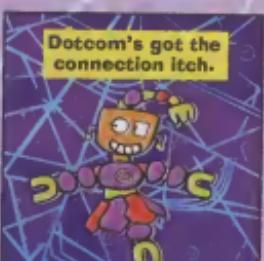
This Month's Original Movie  
PremEAR5 Saturday, April 10th.

## TOP 5 WAYS TO SPOT AN ALIEN!

Imagine begging aliens to come save you, and they actually do! That's what happens to Mike Pillsbury, 14, in the new Disney Channel original movie **CAN OF WORMS**, airing April 10th. When Mike suffers a hugely embarrassing moment at a school dance, he begs for aliens to rescue him, but his plan backfires. Instead of friendly Martians, some not-so-nice outer space creatures land on Earth, and Mike must save the world.

How can you tell if there's an **ALIEN** in town?  
Get ready for an alien encounter if:

- 1 A smelly, stinky **GLOP** appears on your sandwich.
- 2 All of a sudden, you're transported by an **INVISIBLE FORCE** to another place.
- 3 You find a dog in your treehouse who talks to you through a translator with big **PURPLE** lips.
- 4 A talking teenage **BEACHBALL-HEAD** invites you on an interstellar joyride.
- 5 Suddenly, you and only you can save **THE WORLD!**



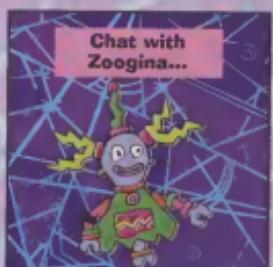


This Month's New Series  
PremEARS Sunday,  
April 11th in Zoog Disney.

## LET Z GAMES BEGIN!

**Z GAMES**, the new series on Disney Channel, spotlights the games that kids create using stuff around the house and sports equipment. Games can be as simple as Wall Ball or Strack, which includes string, a sack and dog food! Each "Z Games" show features kids playing their new game. There's also the Z Lab, where four kids pull stuff out of the equipment bins (like balls, cones and bags) and then create a Z Game right on the show.

So, are you up for a Z Lab challenge? Get three friends, grab the items pictured at the right, and see what game you can create in 20 minutes. For it to be a real Z Game, it must have a name and rules. Ready, set, take Z Challenge!





# April HOT TICKETS

## Monday-Friday

- 4pm Off the Wall
- 4:30 Mad Libs
- 5:00 Dinosaurs
- 5:30 Growing Pains
- 6:00 Growing Pains
- 6:30 Brotherly Love
- 7:00 Mondays are So Weird (TV-Y7)
- 7:00 Magical World of Disney (Mondays at 7:30)
- 11:00 Vault Disney



## Saturday-Sunday

- 3pm The Famous Jett Jackson (TV-G)
- 3:30 Flash Forward (TV-Y7)
- 4:00 Babysitters Club (TV-Y7)
- 4:30 Torkelsons (TV-G)
- 5:00-7:00 Zoog Disney—"Z Games" PremEARs April 11th at 5pm/4c **PLUS**  
"Going Wild With Jeff Corwin" (5:45p) & "Flash Forward" (6:25p)

### Saturday

- 7:00 Magical World of Disney
- 11:00 Vault Disney

### Sunday

- 7:00 Omiba Mokomba (TV-G)
- 7:30 Muppets Tonight (TV-G)
- 8:00 Dinosaurs (TV-G)
- 8:30 Growing Pains (TV-G)
- 9:00 Vault Disney
- 10:00 Disney Classic Movie

## TV Ratings

### TV-Y7

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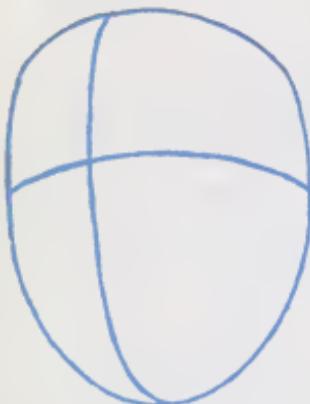


# Funnie Faces

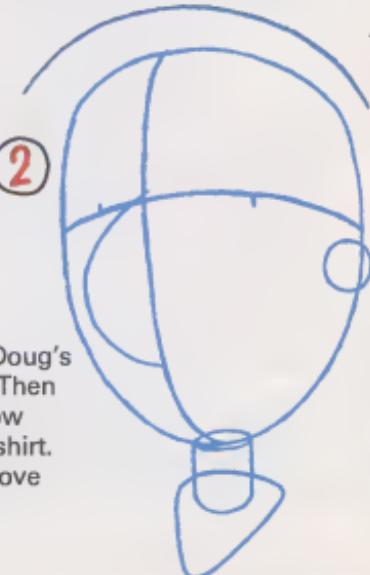
Learn how to draw  
the many faces of  
Disney's Doug!

Whether he's writing in his diary or going to a dance, Doug is a man of many moods. Here's how to draw a few of them.

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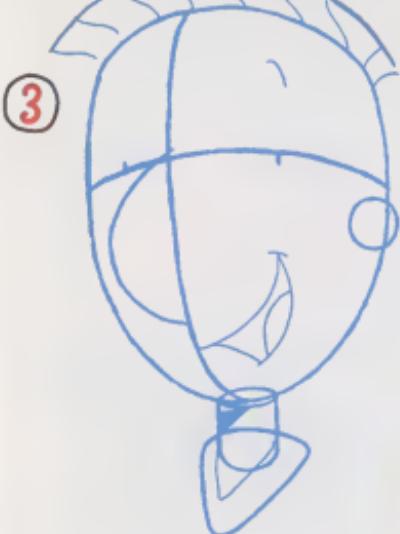


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**Step 2:** Draw a big curve for Doug's nose and a small circle for his ear. Then make two dots for Doug's eyes. Now draw his neck and the top of his T-shirt. Finally, lightly add a curved line above his head as a guideline for his hair.

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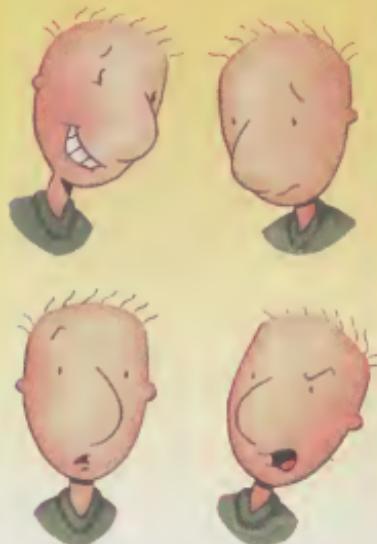
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**Step 3:** Next add Doug's eyebrow. He almost always has just one eyebrow, which goes over the eye away from his nose. Then draw Doug's smiling mouth, which is always right under the eye with the eyebrow. Now doodle in the nine wavy lines for his hair. (Hint: Doug has seven curly hairs in the front and two in the back.) The curly hairs in front always point in the direction Doug's facing.

Ready to give Doug a new expression?

Just change his mouth shape and the angle of his one eyebrow like in the pictures below and you'll change Doug's mood.



**Step 4:** Erase any unwanted pencil lines. Then use a black marker to ink over your drawing. Color it in, and you've created Doug Funnie!

# Jungle Trek

Take a good look at these animals.

Any closer and they'd bite!

Ever wonder what a fruit bat looks like? How about a Komodo dragon?

We got a sneak peek at the animals in Asia, the newest section of Walt Disney World's Animal Kingdom.

Photographs by Joel Meyerowitz

Story by Yolanda Crouse

## Tiger

Tigers may be the biggest cats in the world, but they don't really act like cats. For one thing, they actually like playing in the water. And for another, they don't purr. Tigers hunt animals as large as water buffalo and sometimes even kill humans. But one of their favorite snacks is the porcupine—talk about a meal sticking to your ribs!

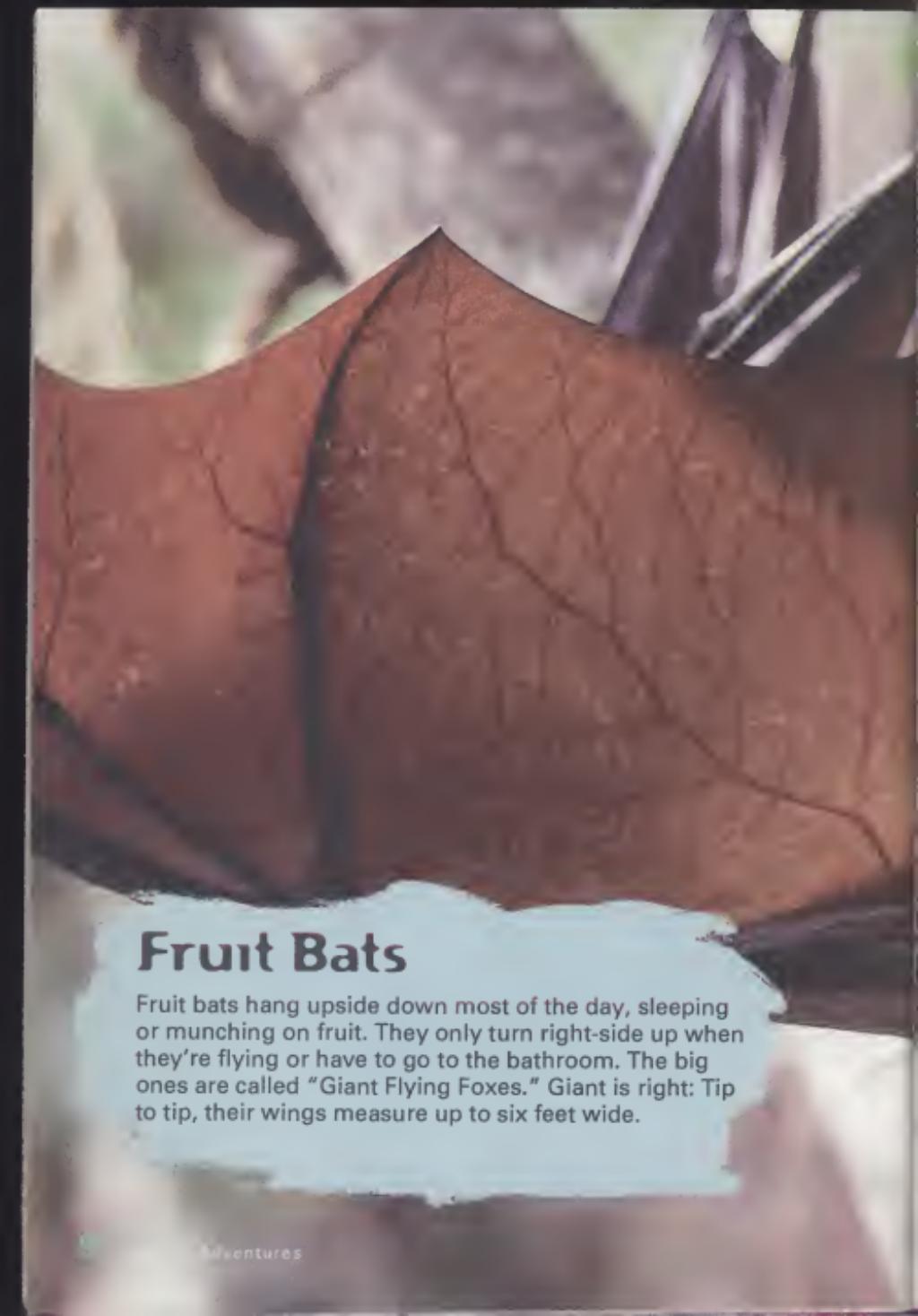






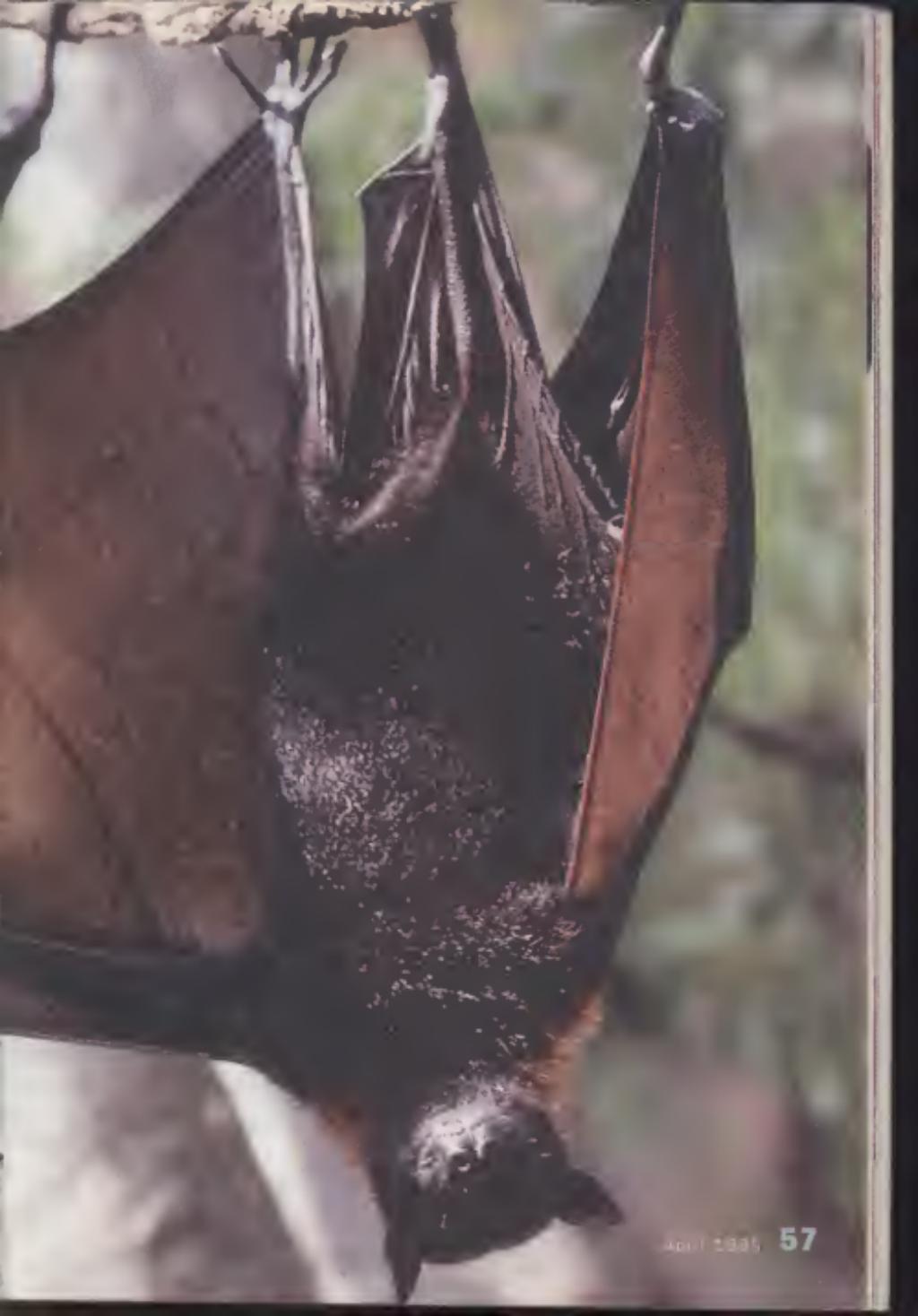
## Komodo Dragon

The Komodo dragon is one rockin' lizard. It's scaly. It can smell things with its *tongue*. And it's enormous; in fact, it's the world's biggest lizard. But the coolest thing about the Komodo dragon is that its saliva is filled with bacteria strong enough to kill people. *Ewww*—death by spit!



## Fruit Bats

Fruit bats hang upside down most of the day, sleeping or munching on fruit. They only turn right-side up when they're flying or have to go to the bathroom. The big ones are called "Giant Flying Foxes." Giant is right: Tip to tip, their wings measure up to six feet wide.



# April Fools'

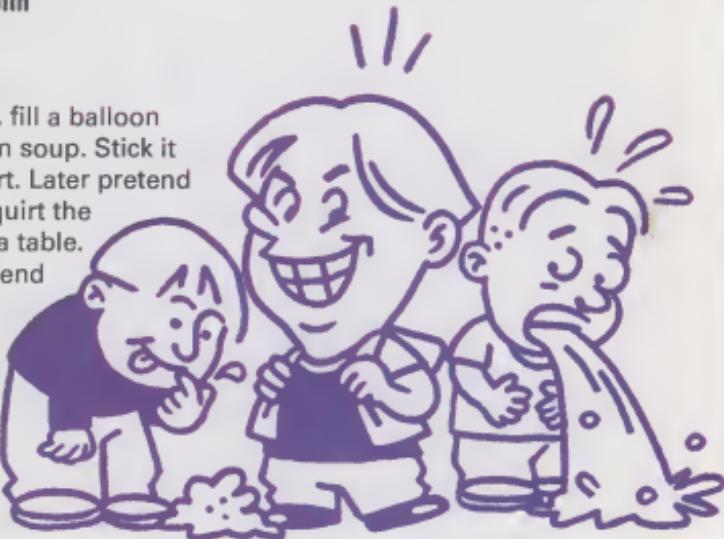
Follow these ideas and you'll become a prime-time prankster. Then turn the page for great cutout gags.

By Stephen Timblin

## Soup's On!

Using a funnel, fill a balloon with mushroom soup. Stick it under your shirt. Later pretend to puke, and squirt the soup out onto a table.

Then have a friend say "Hey, that looks good," and take a bite of it. Watch your other friends throw up for real!



## Phone Home

Call a friend, disguise your voice, and ask "Is Amanda there?"

She'll say "No, you have the wrong number." Call three more times using a different voice and ask the same question, totally annoying your friend. Then call one last time and say "Hi, this is Amanda. Have there been any messages for me?"

# Prank Kit

## Gone Fishing

Attach a dollar bill to clear fishing line with tape. Place the bill in a hallway and stand around the corner. When someone bends to pick it up, yank the line and watch him chase the dollar!



## Invisible Ink

Put clear nail polish on the tips of the pens and pencils of the person who sits next to you. When he wants to write, his pens and pencils won't work!



## You're All Wet

Tell your friend you are conducting an experiment. Fill a large plastic glass with water and ask him to place his hands palms down on a table. Put the plastic glass on top of one hand and ask if it hurts. When he says no, have him put one hand on top of the other, place the plastic glass on top of both hands and walk off. Listen to him cry for help as he realizes that he can't move without spilling all the water!



# Hey-Cut It

Grab some scissors and tape and become a real cutup with these hilarious cutouts.

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someone's  
bubble by  
twisting this  
fake wrapper  
around a  
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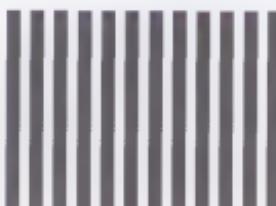
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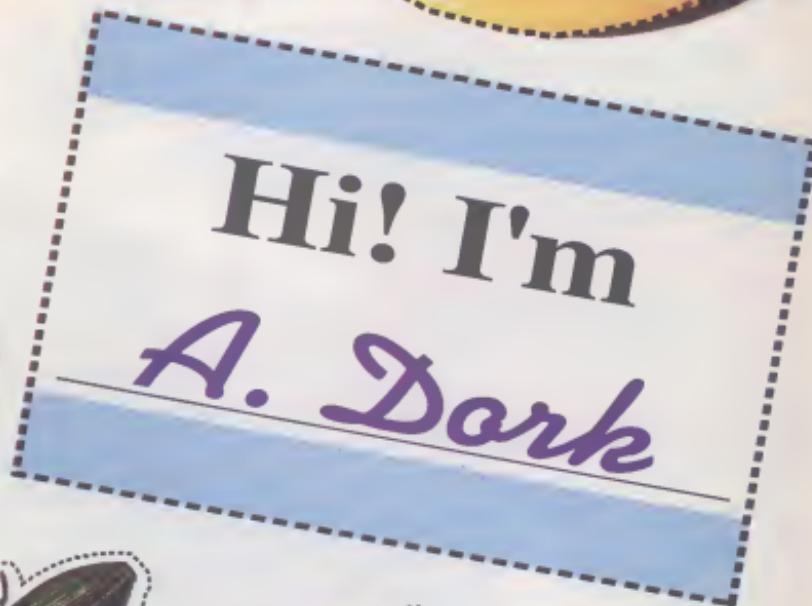
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# Out!

Slap either of these signs on your friend's back at school and he'll really thank you for it later!



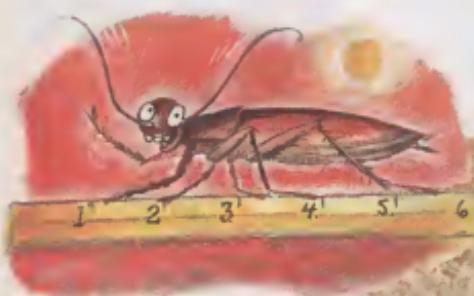
Place one of these little guys on your sister's plate and watch her bug out!

Weird Yet True

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# Roach Report

Cockroaches have been around since dinosaurs roamed the earth. Here are some little-known facts about these buggy old-timers:



▲ The world's largest cockroach lives in South America, is six inches long and has a one-foot wingspan. Yuck!



Photograph courtesy of Cockroach Hall of Fame.  
Illustrations: Scott Anger (tombstone); ©John S. Dykes (cockroach)

► A cockroach can live for one week without its head! The roach only croaks because without a mouth it can't drink water, so it dies of thirst.



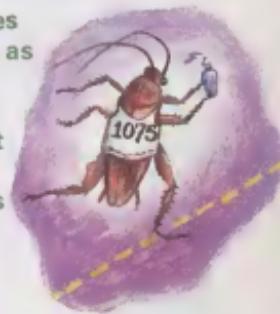
► Cockroaches can swim underwater—but they breathe through their sides, not their nose or mouth, so coming up for air isn't easy. Luckily, they can hold their breath for up to 40 minutes at a time.



► Some female cockroaches can mate one time and stay pregnant for the rest of their lives.



► Cockroaches can run as far as three miles in one hour. (It's not going to set any world records, but it's not bad for a bug.)



► At the Pest Shop in Plano, Texas, the Cockroach Hall of Fame shows off dressed-up roaches such as "Marilyn Monroach," "Elvis Roachley" and "Liberoachi." The display attracts 3,000 visitors a year!

# Ask **ESPN**, Action

**Send us your sports questions.  
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**Dear ESPN Action,**

Why do referees wear black-and-white stripes? I was just wondering.

Ashley R., 11, N. Attleboro, MA

**Dear Ashley,**

Eighty-five years ago, a referee at Eastern Michigan University got tired of players beaning him with the ball all the time. The ref had a relative knit him a black-and-white shirt so he would stand out in a crowd, and the striped look caught on. (Now you also know why refs are sometimes called "zebras.")



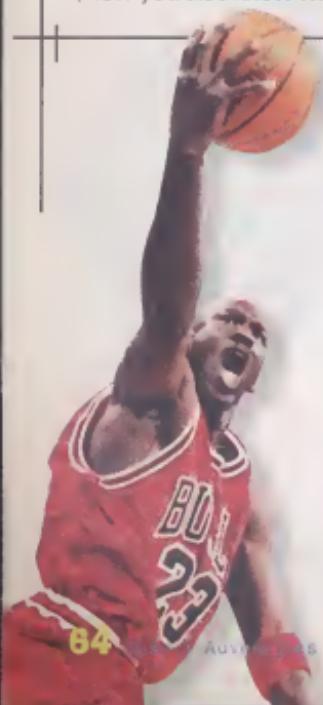
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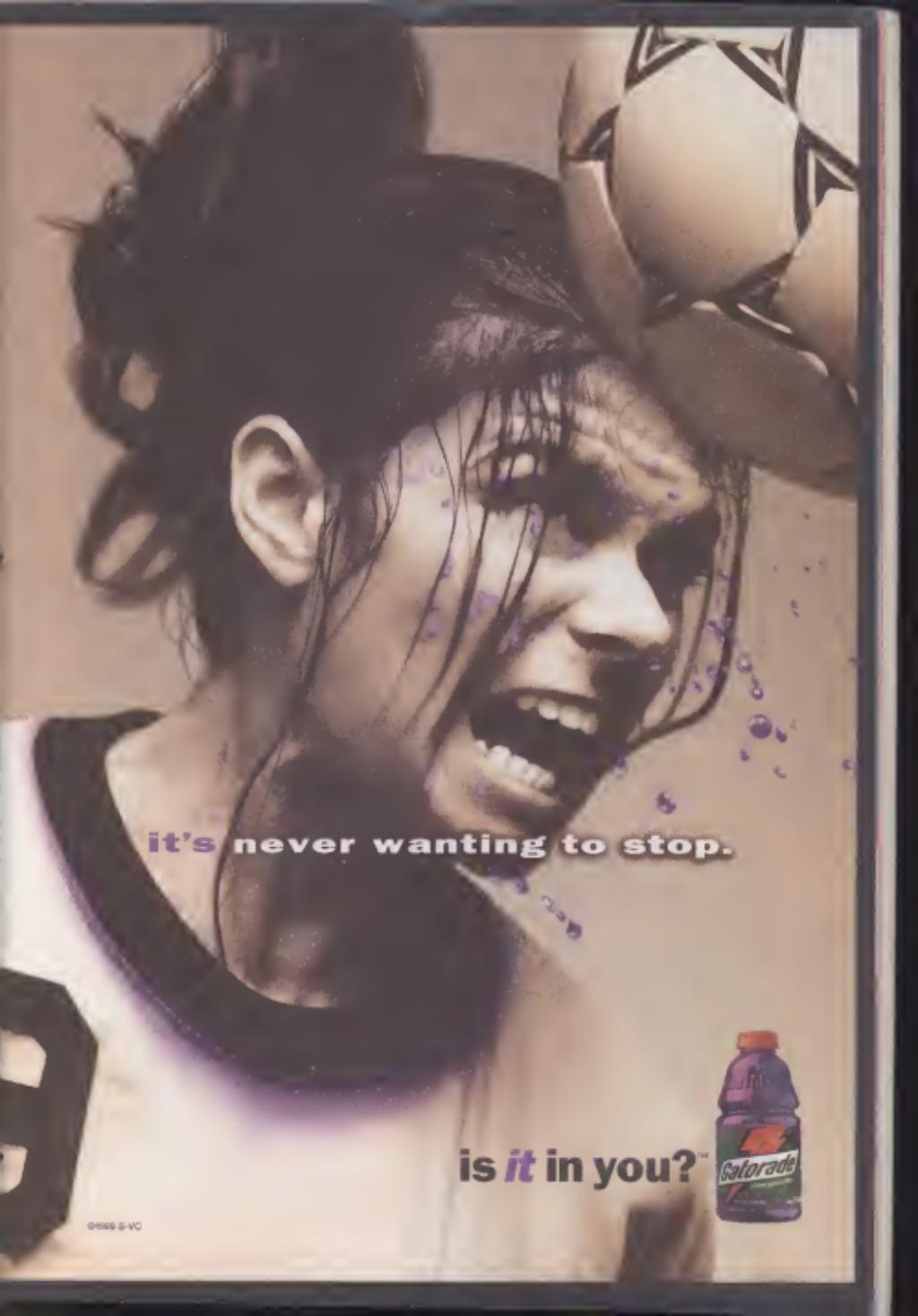
Can you tell me what Michael Jordan plans to do now that he's retired? I think he should run for president!

Justin H., 8, Sunnyvale, CA

**Dear Justin,**

A lot of people probably agree with you! In the meantime, look for MJ to keep doing commercials and charity work. And he'll be playing a lot more golf. But the biggest thing we hear him talk about is spending more time with his family.





it's never wanting to stop.

is *it* in you?



# The Weird World of Sports

By Jason Root



Here's mud in your eye! And your ears, and your nose...

**It's April, but we're not foolin'—these events are for real!**

**Come springtime, many sports fans' thoughts turn to baseball and soccer. Us? We're thinking cow chips and skiing squirrels! Check out these seriously wacky events:**

## **Mud Bowl Championships**

Nobody likes dirty play—unless you're knee-deep in the Mud Bowl, an annual football event in North Conway, New Hampshire. Teams with names like "Valley Hogs" and the "Mass Muddas" duke it out for the right to get messy in the finals.

**He shoots! He scores! Whoopee!**



## **Underwater Hockey**

OK, take a deep breath. Then dive into the Underwater Hockey World Championships at San Jose State University, in California. Players pass a 3½-pound puck along the bottom of a pool and try to score before they—*glub!*—run out of air.



### What's next, mice on ice?

**Squirrel Waterskiing**  
Heads up, you may be looking at the latest Olympic sport—or not. But can you blame us for including a shot of Twiggy the Amazing Waterskiing Squirrel? This tree-living, bushy-tailed, water-loving rodent got "twiggy" with it at the '99 National Boat Show.

**Cow-Chip-Throwing Championship**  
Feel like flinging dung? Then head for Beaver, Oklahoma. Each contestant gets to make two chip tosses. If a pitched piece of poop breaks up in midair, the part that flies the farthest counts.



Cow chips,  
anyone?



# Hot "Link"

Use these hints to master *The Legend of Zelda: Ocarina of Time*.

In this popular game, the young warrior Link must stop an evil curse in the land of Hyrule. Here's how to help him:

**Deku Shield:** Use the shield inside the Great Deku Tree to deflect nuts. Then aim the nuts back at the Deku Scrub to stun him. Grab this short creature and he'll reveal important information.

**Deku Stick:** You can bop enemies on the head with these sticks or use them as torches to burn down stuff in your way.

**Fairy Slingshot:** Stun Big Skulltulas and zap away their evil spell with this tool.



## Techno Gadget Game Boy Color

This hot handheld system adds limited color to existing Game Boy games. Plus, the screen really explodes with new megacolored games you can play on the move. Keep your eyes peeled for *Pokémon Yellow*, *Super Mario* and dozens of others.



## Hot Game Tip Crash Bandicoot: WARPED

Play the game normally until you reach Level 14. About halfway through, look for the "Alien Crossing" sign on the left-hand side of the path. Run directly into the sign and you'll get to 31—a secret level!

## Cool Web Site [www.backstreetboys.com](http://www.backstreetboys.com)

Did you know that Nick is a licensed scuba diver and loves watching football? Or that Brian's nickname is "B-Rok"? At the official Backstreet Boys Web site, you can check out their concert schedule, see what TV shows they'll be appearing on and hear 30-second clips of their hottest new singles.



—Jason R. Rich



# Prank Pizza

## INGREDIENTS



1 stick margarine



1/2 cup sugar



2 eggs



1 cup flour

2 1/2 cups flour  
1 teaspoon cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon

baking soda  
1/2 teaspoon salt

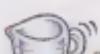
1/2 cup

apricot jam  
1/2 cup strawberry jam  
1-ounce square white chocolatestrawberry fruit leather  
cashews  
black licorice

## TOOLS



mixing bowl

measuring cups  
and spoons

electric mixer



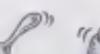
cookie sheet



wax paper



wire cooling rack

fork  
rubber spatula  
cheese grater

Wanna cook up some trouble on April Fools' day? Here's a prank your friends will really swallow. It's a pizza that *looks* like dinner but *tastes* like dessert. And the best part? You can eat the evidence!

## Ask your parents to help!

### PIZZA CRUST

- 1 Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Beat together the margarine, sugar and eggs until mixture is fluffy.
- 2 Combine flour, cinnamon, baking soda and salt. Blend flour mixture with margarine mixture.
- 3 Cover cookie sheet with a thin layer of margarine. Put a piece of wax paper over the cookie sheet. Grease the top of the wax paper with margarine, as well. Spoon the dough onto the wax paper.
- 4 Dip your fingers into flour, then flatten the dough. Shape into a 10-inch-wide circle. Bake for 8 to 10 minutes or until a toothpick poked into the cookie dough comes out clean.
- 5 Carefully put the cookie on a wire rack and let cool completely. Then peel away the wax paper.

Your friends will freak  
when their teeth sink into  
this prankster's pie!



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## TOPPINGS

- 6** Mix the strawberry and apricot jams with a fork. Use a spatula to spread the "sauce" on the cookie crust. Keep the inch around the edge free of jam.
- 7** Use a cheese grater to grate white chocolate into a bowl. Then sprinkle on top of the jam.

- 8** Now cover the pizza with more fun toppings. With your fingers, gently stretch and shape pieces of strawberry fruit leather into pepperoni slices. Make mushrooms by arranging cashew halves (one for the cap and one for the stem), and snip the licorice into small pieces to resemble black olives.



## Tricky Serving Tips

 Save an old pizza box to package your creation, then ask a neighbor to deliver it when your friends are over.

 Bring a couple of slices to school for lunch and offer one to an unsuspecting pal.

 Team up with one parent and fool the other by volunteering to pick up pizza for lunch.

 Gross out your friends by squirting whipped cream on top of your pizza and telling them it's your favorite topping.

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# The Case of the ARTFUL BURGLAR

An art thief commits the perfect crime—almost.

By Joan Lowery Nixon and Eileen Nixon McGowan

## The Suspects

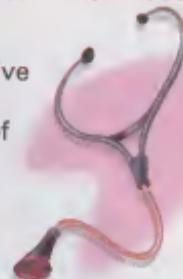
**Dr. Borling:** Hot-tempered physician  
**Mrs. Abbott:** Nervous housekeeper  
**Mrs. Borling:** Art-loving housewife  
**Mark:** Handyman/art student

Detective Kate Moore stopped her car and re-read her notes: In the past few weeks, there had been three robberies in the neighborhood. Each time, the burglar

had stolen a small, expensive piece of art.

Today the thief had struck the Borling home and stolen a sketch by the famous artist Picasso.

Detective Moore knocked on the front door. Mrs. Abbott, the housekeeper, let her in. Dr. Borling stood behind his housekeeper.



"Do something! I could have been killed!" he said to Detective Moore, glaring at her. "Just tell me what happened," Detective Moore said.

"I'd just taken a hot shower and was about to begin shaving," said Dr. Borling.

"Then I heard the bathroom door open. I looked in the mirror and saw a



stranger behind me!  
When our eyes met,  
he ran out and  
slammed the door."

"What did he look like?" asked the detective.

"He was big and hairy, with a broad-brimmed hat that covered part of his face. I was so terrified, I couldn't come out of the bathroom for an hour," he said.

The housekeeper pulled off her wide-brimmed straw hat. "Oh, dear," she moaned. "The burglar must have seen me leave to run an errand and thought no one was home."

Just then a woman and a young man walked through the front door. "What's going on here?" demanded the woman.

"Lynn, we were robbed," Dr. Borling said. "Detective Moore, this is my

wife—and this is our handyman, Mark."

Mrs. Borling gasped. "What was stolen?"

"Your Picasso sketch," Detective Moore replied.

"Where were you when this happened?"

Mrs. Borling crossed her arms. "I was volunteering at the art museum. I volunteer there every Wednesday."

Detective Moore turned to the young man. "Mark, how long have you been working here?"

"Just a few months. I'm an art student at the university. This job pays my tuition."

"Mark must have done it!" cried the housekeeper. "He's an art student. He knows the value of real art."

"What about you?" asked Mark. "I saw you go into the garage carrying a duffel bag. The sketch could have easily fit in it."

"That was the dry cleaning!" sputtered the housekeeper.

"Enough!" said Detective Moore. "I have found the thief—and I'm about to make an arrest."

### How did Detective Moore solve the case?

Dr. Borling said he'd just taken a hot shower. That meant that the bathroom mirror would have been fogged. Thus, he wouldn't have been able to see the stranger's face. Dr. Borling stole his own sketch, because he thought no one would then suspect him of the other thefts—which he had also committed.

**ANSWER:**

# Puzzles



These pictures show you how tough each puzzle is.

Tough



Tougher

Toughest



stinkbomb  
fake barf  
disguises  
tricks  
gags  
costume  
dupe  
hoax  
phony  
stunts

# GOTCHA!



Hey, joker, see if you can find all of the tricky words hidden in the puzzle below. Then use the leftover letters to help spell out one of the world's oldest pranks.

JOKER

SGAGSHEOE  
ELACEMSUN  
PSTNUTSTI  
UEDTRICKS  
DISGUISES  
HOAXYNOHP  
CFAKEBARF  
BMOBKNITS

JOKER

HEY, YOUR ----- ARE ----- . GOTCHA!

Steve Smallwood

THE

# GAG GANG

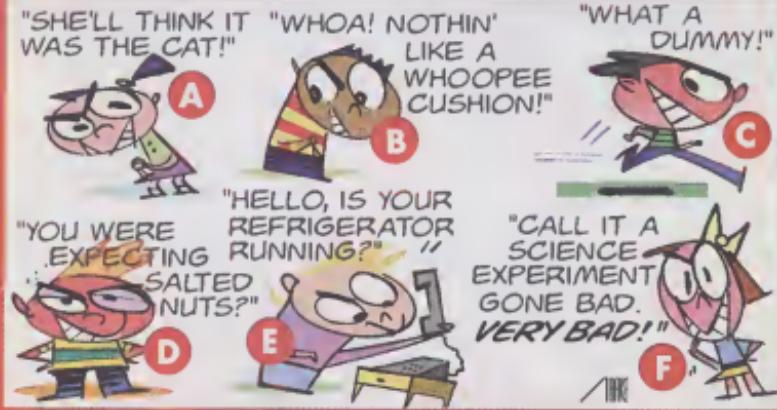


These kids have gone wild and are pranking everyone in the neighborhood. Help catch them by matching each of their pranks with their reactions.

## THE PRANKS



## THE PRANKSTERS





# INSIDE OUT!

Little John's brothers have played quite a practical joke—they've moved his bedroom out into the yard! Help John find his way back into the house without stepping on any of his stuff. Then, try and find his favorite comic, *Zoom Guy*, hidden somewhere in the yard. If you can't find the comic, visit [disneyadventures.com](http://disneyadventures.com), part of GO Network, for help.





Mark Martin

See answers on page 82.

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# PRANKS & PRACTICAL JOKES



Instructions: Fill in the missing words for each gag. Then unscramble the red letters to figure out what to yell after pulling a prank.

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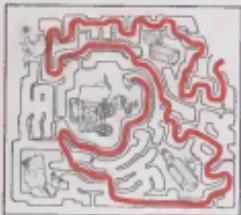
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# Answers

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NEXT GIG



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1. Onion gum
2. Whoopee cushion
3. X-ray specs
4. Can of worms
5. Joy buzzer
6. Bald head wig
7. Fly in the ice cube
8. Black ink soap
9. Squirtin' flower

Mystery Word: April Fools



THE GAG  
GANG

1. B
2. A
3. F
4. D
5. E
6. C



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# Coming Up

Next month



• Meet characters from your favorite video games, including *Crash Bandicoot*, *The Legend of Zelda* and *Pokémon*!



• Feel the force—become a yo-yo master!

• Who would win?



The Simpsons or The Camdens of  
“7th Heaven”

• Comic: Why is the “Recess” gang talking about Spinelli’s new shoes?



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# The Comic Zone

## MONKEY TIME

STARRING:

by KEVIN SOMERS



WELCOME TO THE FIRST  
**MONKEY TIME**  
STRIP!

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BUT TO DO THIS, I'LL  
HAVE TO GET THESE  
CLOWNS TO STOP  
GOOFIN' AROUND--

WE'RE PART OF AN  
EXPERIMENT TO  
PROVE THAT THREE  
MONKEYS CAN DO  
A COMIC STRIP.

--LONG ENOUGH TO  
**GET SOME WORK  
DONE!**

GUYS,  
**STOP  
THAT!**

OH, BOY, DO I  
HAVE MY WORK  
CUT OUT FOR  
ME!

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# ROAD RULES





EVERY SHOW  
IS A CHALLENGE.  
IT DEPENDS ON...

KNOWING WHO'S WHO  
IN THE AUDIENCE!

SOMETIMES YOU  
TICKLE THEIR FUNNY BONES,  
SOMETIMES THEY WANT TO  
PULL YOUR WINGS OFF!

INSTRUCTIONS: Match the bugs with their descriptions.

1. Can bring down the house—especially if it's made of wood.
2. Prefer their peanuts honey roasted.
3. When the lights go up, they're outta here!
4. These critics can suck the life out of any show.
5. A little antsy, but a great audience!



ANSWERS: 1(j); 2(a); 3(d); 4(b); 5(e)

ANOTHER TOUGH  
PART OF LIFE ON THE  
ROAD IS...

IT'S EASY TO GET  
LOST ON THE ROAD. AND BELIEVE  
ME, A COCKROACH WOULDN'T CHECK  
INTO SOME OF THE MOTELS  
I'VE SEEN!

## FINDING YOUR NEXT GIG!

INSTRUCTIONS: Find the shortest route through these uncharted back roads.





# KEITH EXAGGERATION

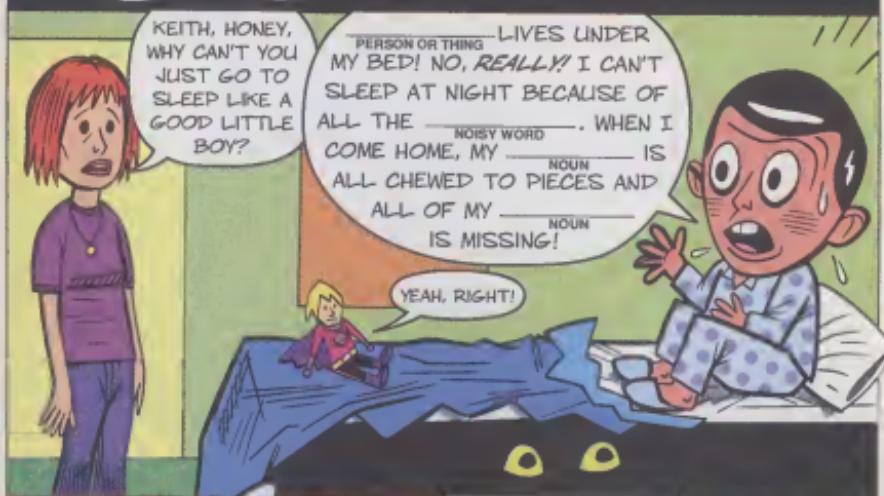
NEEDS YOUR HELP!  
FILL IN THE BLANKS!

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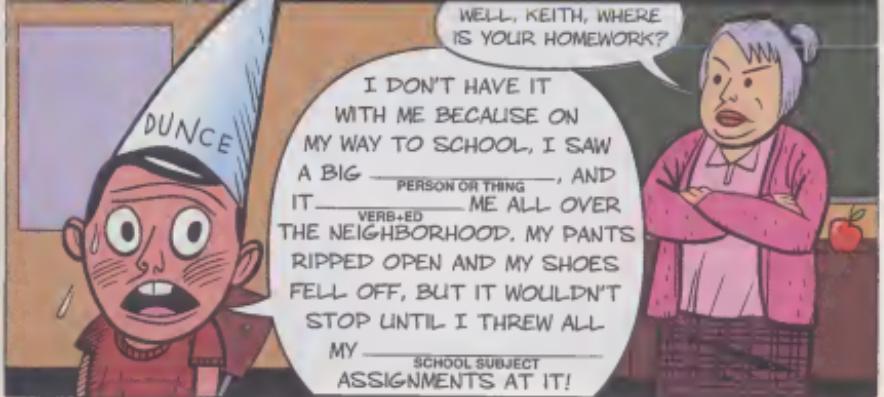
THERE YOU ARE! GREAT!  
MY NAME IS KEITH EXAGGERATION,  
AND WITH A NAME LIKE THAT, NOBODY  
EVER BELIEVES ANYTHING I TELL THEM!  
MAYBE YOU CAN HELP ME BY ADDING  
SOME OF YOUR OWN WORDS TO  
THE THINGS I SAY!



KEITH, HONEY,  
WHY CAN'T YOU  
JUST GO TO  
SLEEP LIKE A  
GOOD LITTLE  
BOY?

PERSON OR THING — LIVES UNDER  
MY BED! NO, REALLY! I CAN'T  
SLEEP AT NIGHT BECAUSE OF  
ALL THE — NOISY WORD —. WHEN I  
COME HOME, MY — NOUN — IS  
ALL CHEWED TO PIECES AND  
ALL OF MY — NOUN —  
IS MISSING!

YEAH, RIGHT!



WELL, KEITH, WHERE  
IS YOUR HOMEWORK?

I DON'T HAVE IT  
WITH ME BECAUSE ON  
MY WAY TO SCHOOL, I SAW  
A BIG — PERSON OR THING —, AND  
IT — VERB+ED — ME ALL OVER  
THE NEIGHBORHOOD. MY PANTS  
RIPPED OPEN AND MY SHOES  
FELL OFF, BUT IT WOULDN'T  
STOP UNTIL I THREW ALL  
MY — SCHOOL SUBJECT —  
ASSIGNMENTS AT IT!

EVER CATCH ANY FISH IN THIS LAKE, KEITH?

THE LAST TIME I  
WENT FISHING, I HOOKED  
A \_\_\_\_\_ THING AND THERE  
WERE A HUNDRED \_\_\_\_\_ THINGS  
INSIDE! I THOUGHT  
I WAS GOING TO

VERB

SUDDENLY, A  
GIANT \_\_\_\_\_ POPPED OUT  
OF THE WATER AND \_\_\_\_\_  
ME, AND THEN MY BOAT SANK. I  
SMELLED LIKE FISH FOR A WEEK.

A FISHY  
STORY.

ARE YOU SURE THERE'S  
NOTHING WRONG WITH ME?  
BECAUSE, MY

IS REALLY

VERB+ING  
AND EVERY TIME I  
TRY TO \_\_\_\_\_ VERB  
MY \_\_\_\_\_ BODY PART  
MY \_\_\_\_\_ ANOTHER BODY PART  
MAKES A FUNNY  
WHISTLING  
SOUND!

THERE'S  
NOTHING WRONG  
WITH YOU...

...UNLESS YOUR  
NOSE STARTS  
TO GROW LIKE  
PINOCCHIO!

SEE WHAT I MEAN?  
MAYBE I'LL HAVE BETTER LUCK  
WITH THE STORIES YOU HELPED  
ME TELL. SEND ME YOUR STORIES  
CARE OF DISNEY ADVENTURES, AND  
I'LL ASK THEM TO PRINT THE  
ONES I LIKE BEST! THANKS  
FOR YOUR HELP!

**END**  
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# APRIL FOOLS' BY SERGIO ARACONES

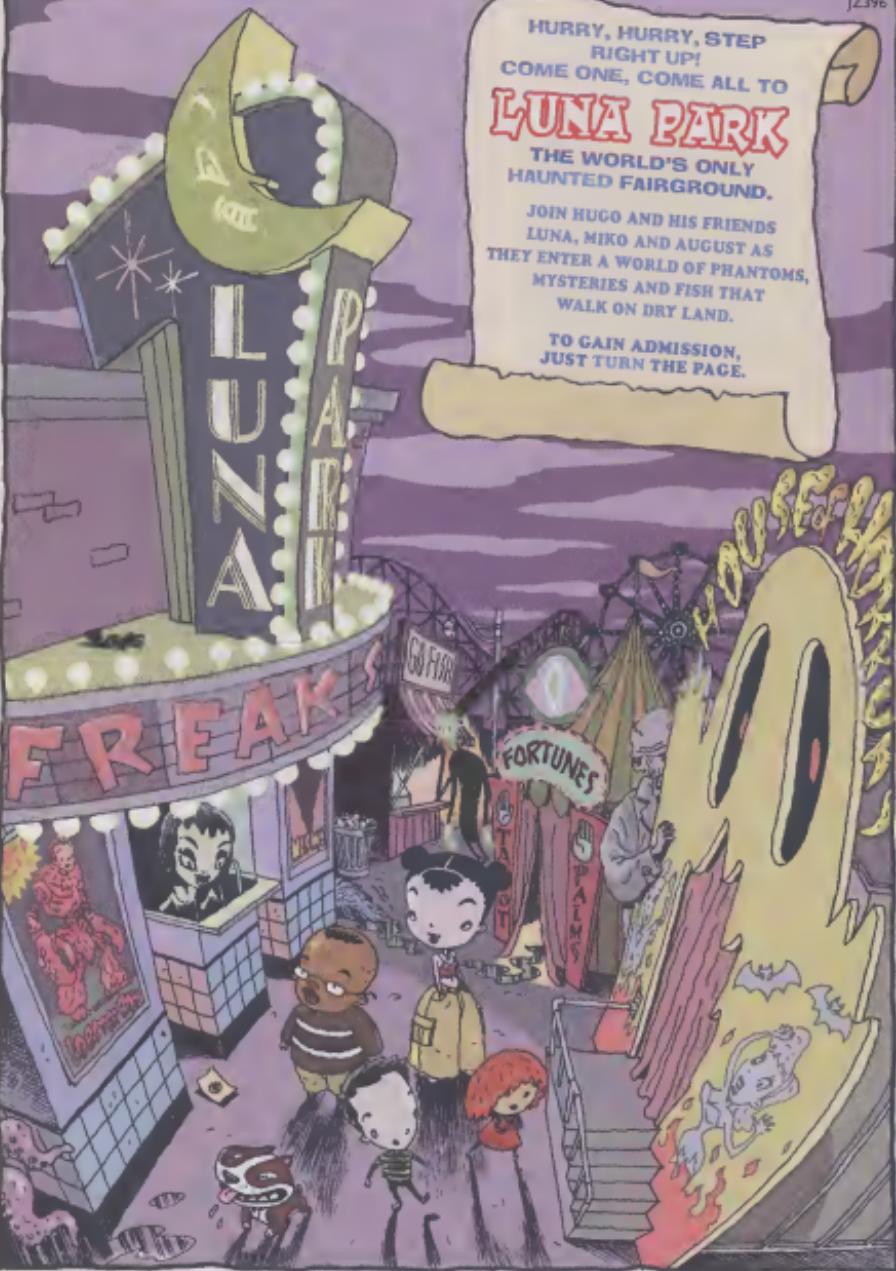


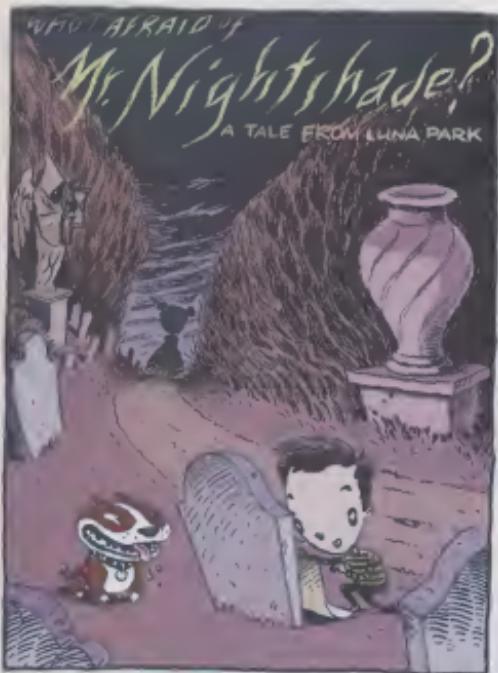
HURRY, HURRY, STEP  
RIGHT UP!  
COME ONE, COME ALL TO  
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MYSTERIES AND FISH THAT  
WALK ON DRY LAND.

TO GAIN ADMISSION,  
JUST TURN THE PAGE.









C'MON, LUNA, EVEN I DON'T  
BELIEVE IN GHOSTS... AND  
I LIKE SPOOKY STUFF.

OKAY, MR. SMARTY-  
PANTS, BUT--

CRACK!

W-WHAT D-DO YOU  
SUPPOSE THAT  
WAS?

B-BEATS  
M-ME.

BUT IT'S NOT  
A 'HUFF' GHOST, RIGHT?  
'CAUSE THERE'S NO  
'PUFF' SUCH THING...  
IS THERE?

OF  
COURSE 'HUFF'  
NOT. DON'T BE  
SILLY.  
THAT'S 'PUFF'  
KID STUFF.

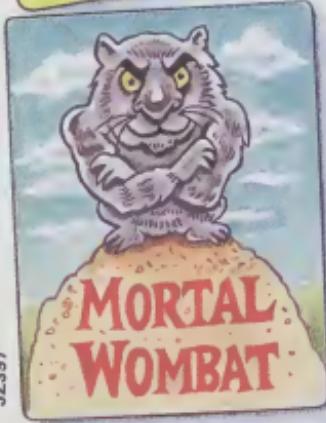
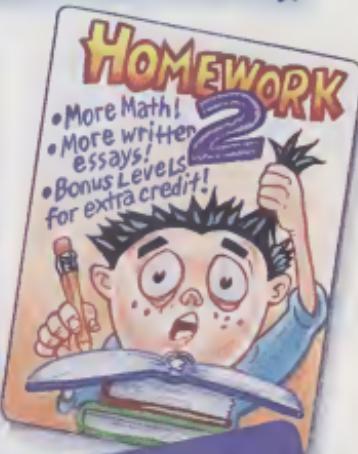
"GHOSTS."

HAH!

END!

# The Last Laugh

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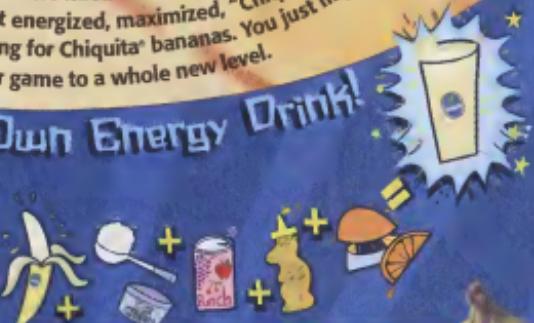
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